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Petitioner's Case No. 5050/296

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Petitioner and Applicant have agreed to move the close of the period for cross-examination of Petitioner's declarants from March 1, 2001 to March 19, 2001. Petitioner and Applicant have also agreed to move the close of the period for Applicant's rebuttal testimony from March 21, 2001 to April 9, 2001. All other dates remain unchanged.

In accordance with MPEP 720.04 and the Schedule for Testimony issued by the Examiner in this Public Use Proceeding, Petitioner submits the following new schedule for testimony:

Time for cross-examination of Petitioner's declarants to close	March 19, 2001
Rebuttal testimony by Applicant to close	April 9, 2001
One copy of each of Petitioner's and Applicant's record and exhibits	April 20, 2001
Petitioner's brief is due	May 20, 2001
Applicant's brief is due	June 10, 2001

Dated: March 22, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph F. Hetz Reg. No. 41,070 Attorney for Petitioner

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## **PROOF OF SERVICE**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.248, Petitioner hereby certifies that a duplicate copy of this paper has been served on Applicant's attorney on March 22, 2001 via first class mail at the following address:

John S. Sensny, Esq. Scully, Scott, Murphy & Presser 400 Garden City Plaza Garden City, New York 11530-0299

Dated: March 22, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

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To the C	Commissioner for Pat	ents:					
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	Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.						
	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.						
	Petition for amonth extension of time.						
$\boxtimes$	No additional fee is required.						
	Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$: A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or cred any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. Further, I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136 for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
			Respectfully submitted,				
March 2 Date	2, 2001	<del></del>	Joseph F. Hetz Registration No. 44,070 Attorney for Petitioner				

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